Row an Application Finds It Way Through the Different Avenues to Issue or Rejection-The Expert Corps Who are Responsible for

inventors or the manufacturers of the patented sion and soon secured a large and important articles. They are all more or less familiar with the general scope of the office, and establishment of the patented sion and soon secured a large and important clientage. In 1880 he was elected to represent New Britain in the general assembly. pecially are they aware of the practical advantages which it confers upon the inventive citizen. The great majority, however, are comparatively ignorant of the extent and the operations of this office. As they wander through



they will get an idea of a phase of the patent office, which, perhaps, they only have realized in a dim, uncertain way.

A GREAT MACHINE.

They will begin to comprehend that the patent office is a great machine, endowed, it is

patent office is a great machine, endowed, it is true, with the intelligence and sagacity of hundreds of trained minds, but still a machine patent office when women were not employed as clerks. They are now an efficient element of the clerks and assistant examiners employed in this work, that the corps of trained experts known as the principal examiners alone number thirty and that of the thousands of applications made only a certain percentage is granted. After even such a casual glimpse of the patent office as it exists today the average inventor will not a compared to the inventor will not a compared to the inventor will not a compared to the inventors of the country. They are now an efficient element of the clerks. They are now an efficient element of the clerks. They are now an efficient element of will be clerks. They are now an efficient element of the clerks and as clerks. They are now an efficient element of will be clerks and as clerks. They are now an efficient element of the clerks and as clerks. They are now an efficient element of the clerks and as clerks. They are now an efficient element of will be clerked force of the office. Miss Julia A. Wilbur was among the first of her sex to receive an appointment in the office. Since 1869 she has been performing the duties of a clerk, and will be clerked force of the office. Since 1869 she has been performing the duties of a clerk, and the clerks in the clerks in the clerks in the clerks. They are now an efficient element of the clerks. They are now an efficient element of with the clerks. They are now an efficient element of the clerks. They are now an efficient element of with the clerks. They are now an efficient element of the clerks. They are now an efficient element of the clerks are now an efficient element of the clerks. They are now an efficient element of the clerks are now an efficient element of the clerks. They are now an efficient element of the clerks as the clerks. They are now an efficient element of the clerks are now as among the first of her sex to receive an appointment in the office. Since 1869 she has been performing the duties of a clerk, and a clerk are now an efficie exists today the average inventor will no doubt wonder how it is that his little application receives attention and is not lost in the mass of applications which constitue the daily mail of the office. The labyrinth, however, has only an apparent existence and starting at the right point the clue is easily found and the course of a patent from the reception of the application to the issue of the letters patent is brief opening address compared the patent ofplain that even the application of the hum-lest inventor cannot miss the way.

THE PATHWAY OF AN APPLICATION. ment pays men to see that all applications are in the country. The patent office is a vast concern, because of the activity of the inventors, and the officials say that the present force could be largely increased with advantage to the progress of an application through the patent office will not be devoid of interest at this time. An application for letters patent, including the first or examination fee, the petition for a grant, the specimention and drawing, is ceived at the office either by express, through the mail or by hand. In the two latter cases the fee is received by the financial clerk and the drawings and papers are sent to the application room. When received by express the cation room. When received by express the application is usually accompanied by a model, although a model is no longer essential, unless requested by the patent office authorities. The common receptacle of all applications is the room very appropriately named "the application room." Here an alphabetical record is made of all applications, showing the name of the applicant, his residence, the title of the inven-tion, name of attorney, date of receipt and the name of the examiner to whom it is sent. A separate record is kept of all the fees paid. An

examiners' division to which it pertains. Elecexaminers' division to which it pertains. Elecdolph."

Senator Daniel traced the part taken by the
south in inventions of all kinds. Then he recounted the debt owed by the south to inventdiving the highest place to Eli Whitney's

gress if the patent office was allowed proper iners and assistant examiners and clerks to do the work. The examiner and his assistants, shen they take up a case, endeavor to ascertain several facts about it in order to determine whether it is patentable or not. They decide, among other things, whether the invention offered for patent is sufficiently novel to warrant the term of invention. Then they also want to find out whether somebody else has not patented the same thing. In this latter contingency lies the yawning grave of many a new born invention. In all probability before the inventor because grave of many a new born invention. In all probability before the inventor began to struggle with the problem and to work it out by slow and painful effort to solution some other fellow had gone through the same experience and reached practically the same result. Both are inventions, but the patent office has adopted that rule, which, while just, works injustice and hardship, that the first invention recorded is the true and only invention. So the anticipated inventor gets no patent. When the examiner has dug down into the dusty the examiner has dug down into the dusty records of the past sufficiently long without finding a prior inventor and if the matter is patentable then the application is passed for issue. One class of applications is thus happily disposed of

with pertinent information for his guidance as to the further prosecution of the application. The rejection, however, may not be based upon a vital objection; indeed, it is said that one or more rejections occur in most applications. At any rate the applicant can ask for a reconsideration and he has the further privilege of repeating these requests as often as new references are cited.

THE RIGHT OF APPEAL.

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THE RIGHT OF APPLAL.

While it is possibly not true of the present corp of examiners that any one of them falls into an error relative to an application, yet the law evidently considers the possible fallibility of the examiners and provides for an appeal from their decision to the board of examiners-

A GREAT MACHINE.

ents. The latter, however, does not exercise final jurisdiction, as his decision may be reviewed by the Supreme Court of the District, and of course there lies a final appeal to the United States Supreme Court. When patents are issued the specifications and drawings are printed by the public printer and the photo-lithographer and are kept on file ready for inspection or distribution. There are of cours namerous other details in the process of the THE U. S. PATENT OFFICE. evolution of an application for a patent to the state and dignity of a patent, but the main facts have been given.

COMMISSIONER MITCHELL. The men who run this great machine, the training is employed for the benefit of inventors, are well known in patent circles. Some of the Work.

The patent office, as it exists today, is the center of a great deal of interest. The celebration of the centennial of the establishment of the patent system has brought a great many bration of the centennial of the establishment of the patent system has brought a great many visitors to the city. Naturally they are all drawn to the patent office. This is the one buterean of the government that looms up the largest in their mental vision, whether they be sign and scop secured a large and important of the centennial of the establishment of New Britain, in the same significance of the patent of New Britain, in the same state. He was educated at the famous Williston Academy, Easthampton, Mass., and graduated from the class of 1861. He studied at the Albany law school and graduated from that institution in 1864. He commenced the practice of his chosen profession and severally is this so among the remptilies.

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER PROTHINGHAM. The assistant commissioner is Mr. Nathaniel thrown herself with energy and tireless activity into the work of fostering and encouraging Rev. N. L. Frothingham, the grand nephew of Charles Francis Adams and grand nephew of Edward Exercit. In 1875 be grandened from

Walter Johnson, O. C. Fox. James Q. Rice, E A. Byrnes, B. W. Pond, William Burked, W. H. A. Byrnes, B. W. Pond, William Burked, W. H. Blodgett, F. C. Skinner, G. S. Ely, F. M. Tryon, the long corridors of the great Doric building, which has been the home for so many years of this temple of the inventive genius of the American people, as it has been aptly termed, and looks into the rooms crowded with employes and see the great file cases where patent applications and granted patents are stored, they will get an idea of a phase of the patent office, which, perhaps, they only have realized

EFFICIENT WOMEN CLERKS. There was a period in the history of the every year grants some 24,000 letters patent office when women were not employed

LAST NIGHT'S ADDRESSES.

Secretary Noble presided at last evening's session of the congress of inventors and manufice with the other bureaus of the department over which he presides and explained how indispensable it was to the successful administra-With the proper direction, and the govern- tion of those bureaus as well as the other executive departments of the government. Withstarted right, the pathway through the patent out the patent office, said the Secretary, the office is as simple as that through an open field | census of 1896 could not have been so success-

Senator Daniel of Virginia delivered an interesting and eloquent address on "The New patrons of the office. A brief summary of the South as an Outgrowth of Invention and the



American Patent Law."
He spoke of the natural conditions which led uring and the south to agricultural pursuits "If I am asked th cause of the northern ern inventors, mechan-ics and manufacturers. "But, continued the plauded northern genius

and welcomed its results. The long list of great inventors from the south, however, proved that the south was no laggard in the race, while the fact that in 1890 3,000 patents were granted to southern men shows that the south will soon separate record is kept of all the fees paid. An important detail, at least to the applicant, is the stamping upon the application the date of its receipt. The drawing accompanying the application is sent to the drafting division for inspection as to its mechanical execution.

EXAMINATION AS TO PATENTABILITY.

Mistakes are noted if any are discovered.

Upon the completion of the application in proper form the drawing and the papers are sent for examination as to patentability to the examiners' division to which it pertains. Electrical devices are sent to one examiner, fire

games and toys to a fourth. There are thirty principal examiners, and in many cases the subjects assigned to them for investigation undergo another subdivision, so that however large or small an invention may be it can be promptly and properly labeled as soon as it reaches the patent office and sent to the expert, who devotes his entire time and attention to investigating the patentability of inventions of this character.

Each application is taken up in the examiner's room in the order of its receipt, excepting preferred cases specified in the statute and rules. Some of the examiners are so crowded preferred cases specified in the statute and rules. Some of the examiners are so crowded with applications that they are behind in their work five and six months; others are three months or less behind the procession of inventors. The present commissioner, Mr. Mitchell, has endeavored to stimulate the working capacity of the office to such a pitch that these arrearages would almost entirely disappear.

MORE ROOM AND MORE FORCE NEEDED.

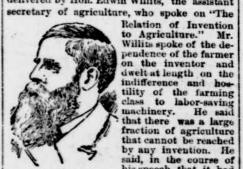
He has succeeded to some extent, but, as he informed Congress, he would make more progress if the patent office was allowed proper

own and its industries will be more diversified than those of any people.

Senator Daniel concluded with a eulogy of the inventor and with an expression of the hope that some day there would be erected in Washington a hall of sciences, in which the achievements of American intellect could be displayed.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY WILLITS.

The only other address of the evening was delivered by Hon. Edwin Willits, the assistant



Ass'T SEC'Y WILLTS. been complained that there was no economical steam plow. "I am disposed of.

THE REJECTED APPLICATIONS.

Dut what becomes of the rejected application? It is not bundled out into the street, but the commissioner of patents, through the examiner, informs the applicant in the terse and formal language of an official letter that his application has been rejected. The letter the reupon proceeds to narrate the reasons upon which the rejection is based. The application of all the life there is in the soil." Having elaborated the various reasons why the price of the street of the stre

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Dr. J. J. McWilliams, Denison, Iowa, says: "I
have usedit largely in nervousness and dyspepsia,
and I consider that it stands unrivaled as a remedy
in cases of this kind. I have also used it in cases
of sieeplessness with very gratifying results."

A PAN-REPUBLIC CONGRESS. Movement by Leading Citizens From All

OW THE IDEA ORIGINATED AND HOW IT HAS REEN DEVELOPED-IMPORTAGE COMMITTERS MEETING HERE-REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PLAN

Today and tomorrow will see meeting in this city committees of leading citizens from all over the country, who have in preparation the initiatory steps for one of the most important corps of experts whose special knowledge and inter-republic conventions the world has ever seen. Today at the Arlington the different subcommittees of the proposed pan-republic con-

friendship and comity is abroad in the world, and especially is this so among the republics of the American continent. To her credit be it said the United States, both through her government and through her citizens, has Charles Francis Adams and grand nephew of Edward Everett. In 1875 he graduated from Harvard College and immediately departed for Leipsic, Germany, where he attended lectures in Roman law and political economy at the university of the Saxon metropolis. Upon returning to this country in the fall of 1877 he entered the Harvard Law School and took a three-years' course. He was admitted to practice as an attorney-at-law in Massachusetts before the Suffolk county bar in 1880, and soon secured a recognized position in his chosen profession. In June, 1889, he was made law clerk of the patent office, which piace he filled up to the time of his appointment on March 4, 1891, to his present position.

The eximining corps are as follows: Examiners-in-chief, R. L. B. Clarke, H. H. Bates, S. W. Stocking; principal examiners, Walter Johnson, O. C. Fox, James, O. Rice, E.

The United States in the civilized man has no longer that intense attachment to locality which characterized his ancestors. It does not follow from this that the civilized man has no longer that intense and extension of free institutions. 2. Such questions and extension of free institutions. 2. Such questions and extension of free institutions ances of country, but it follows as a necessary falling off of patriot is ancessary falling off of patriot is ancestors. It does not follow from this that there is a necessary falling off of patriot is ancestors. It does not follow from this that there is a necessary falling off of patriot is ancestors. It does not follow from this that there is a necessary falling off of patriot is ancestors. It does not follow from this that there is an eccessary falling off of patriot is ancestors. It does not follow from this that there is a necessary falling off of patriot is ancessary falling off of patriot is ancessar

As has been stated, our own country has been among the foremost in this advance toward the ligence. millenium. During the past two years we have seen held in this city a grand pan-American in-ternational conference. We have seen repre-sented in this body no less than nine of the Anglo-American, Spanish-American and Portu-guese-American states. We have seen these seen held in this city a grand pan-American international conference. We have seen represented in this body no less than nine of the
Anglo-American, Spanish-American and Portuguese-American states. We have seen these
states carefully debate the great questions of
arbitration, reciprocity, intercontinental milways, steamship communication, sanitary laws,

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may be determined by wise provisions for the
education of the citizen, the freedom of the
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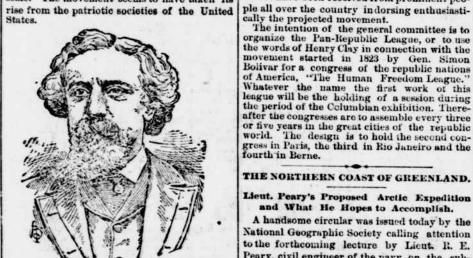
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the discovery of the press and the general diffusion of knowledge. ways, steamship communication, sanitary laws, customs, silver coinage, patents, trademarks, weights and measures, regulations for ports of entry, extradition, international banks and the general improvement of the law of nations. We have seen many practical improvements come from their discussion and we are able to see many more in the future as the direct result of the congress. This conference was a govern-ment affair and labored under all the difficulties and attacks which were necessarily made upon its work and results by the partisan spirit of the country.

SPIRIT OF THE NEW MOVEMENT. The new movement has as its ends the prosoale. The movement seems to have taken its letters have been received from prominent peo-





C. S. CHASE. Schurz, New York; Hon. Thos. W. Palmer, Detroit, Mich.; Rev. W. C. Roberts, D.D., Lake Forest, Ill.: Right Rev. Charles Edward Cheney, D.D., LL.D., Chicago, Ill.; Dr. Gustav Gottheil, rabbi Temple Emanuel, New York; John Clark Ridpath, LL.D., Greencastle, Ind.: Prof. Alonzo Williams, Providence, R.I.; Henry F. Downing, No. 227 West 47th street, New York; Hon. C. C. Bonney, Chicago, Ill.; Hon. Wm. E. Curtis, Washington, D. C.; Mr. J. W. Woodside, Philadelphia, Pa.; ex-Judge Wm. H. Arnoux, New York; Col. Ethan Allen, New York: Dr. Pulsifer Frazer, Philadelphia; Gen. Lew Wallace, Crawfordsville, Ind.; Walter S. Logan, New York; Wm. O. McDowell, Newark, N.J.

No better plan of giving the designs and hopes of the movement can be found than to

This report is as follows: I. The name of the proposed conference shall be the pan republic congress.



II. The congress shall be held in such city of the United States as may be selected by the general committee during the time of the Columbian exposition of 1893, but shall have no necessary connection therewith.

III. The congress shall consist of two bodies.

One shall be composed of delegates appointed by the governments of the various republics of the world on the basis of one delegate-at-large

house of said congress and shall bear such re-lation in general to the assembly as the Senate of the United States bears to the House of Rep-

resentatives.

V. Those appointive delegates who shall be chosen by the various organizations in sympathy with free institutions, together with the invited representatives from the nations other than republics, shall constitute an assembly or lower house of the congress.

VI. The sessions of the congress, the manner of proceeding, &c., &c., shall be in general analogy with the sessions and proceedings of dual legislative bodies in free countries.

THE GENERAL SCOPE. VII. The general scope of the proposed con-

gress shall be the consideration of the interests of free institutions and the best means of promoting the same among the nations.

VIII. By free institutions shall be understood such organic forms of human society as are derived from an enlightened popular will, are consistent with it, and are subservient to the interests and harvings of markind.

 Civil or political institutions.
 Social and educational institutions proper.
 Religious institutions. Institutions of the latter class as such shail not be represented in the proposed congress, nor shall questions of a religious nature be dis-

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1. Such questions of constitutional and administrative reform among the nations as may be deemed promotive of the interests of public liberty, the rights of citizenship and the maintenance and extension of free institutions.

2. Such questions in particular as may promote the establishment of the principle of mote the establishment of the principle of the consideration of the consideration

promote the principle of mutual advantage among the nations in trade and commerce. 7. Such questions as by their discussion may conduce to the diffusion of international intel-

8. Such questions as relate to the mental and intellectual welfare of the nations, as the same

to the discovery of new methods of prolonging and protecting human life.

10. Such questions in particular as by their discussion may tend to promote government of the people by the people and for the people as the best attainable form of civil and political organization known to men.

11. Such other questions relating to the general well being of mankind as may suggest themselves to enlighten consideration in the interim between the present and the opening of the congress. ENCOURAGEMENT ON ALL SIDES. The committees have received every encourmotion of pan-republicanism on a broader agement so far in their work. Hundreds of

> organize the Pan-Republic League, or to use the words of Henry Clay in connection with the movement started in 1823 by Gen. Simon Bolivar for a congress of the republic nations of America, "The Human Freedom League." Whatever the name the first work of this league will be the holding of a session during the period of the Columbian exhibition. Thereafter the congresses are to assemble every three or five years in the great cities of the work of this LARKIAGES, ATOUR AUCTION ROOMS, SAT or five years in the great cities of the republic The design is to hold the second congress in Paris, the third in Rio Janeiro and the fourth in Berne. THE NORTHERN COAST OF GREENLAND.

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The other body shall be composed of delegates from each republic and one delegate for every fraction there of exceeding one-half that number.

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THIS EVENING. ests and happiness of mankind.

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Couches, one fine Persian Carpet, one fine Turnish
Ruc, very hancsome Cherry Cabinet, chamber I urniture of every description, Stair and other Carpets, two
fine Show Cases with Counter, together with other
articles.

Lieut. Peary's Proposed Arctic Expedition and What He Hopes to Accomplish.

A handsome circular was issued today by the National Geographic Society calling attention to the forthcoming lecture by Lieut. R. E. Peary, civil engineer of the navy, on the subject of his projected association of the control of the navy, on the subject of his projected association of the navy of the subject of his projected association of the navy of the subject of his projected association of the navy of the subject of his projected association of the navy of the

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IN SQUARE NORTH OF SQUARE 508, Fronting 112 feet and 6 inches on Rhode Island ave, and 51 feet 4 inches on 5th st. n.w. This property, which will be subdivided and sold in three purcels, is improved by tare brick houses, Nos. 1715 5th st. and 441 and 441% Rhode Island ave.

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CHANCERY SALE OF AN INTEREST IN VALUABLE IMPROVED CITY PROPERTY.

By virtue of a decree of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, passed in Equity Cause No. 2381, Docket No. 31, wherein Frederick C. Gieseking et al. are complainants and James G. Naylor, it., king et al. are respondents, I will sed in front of the premises on WEDNESDAY, APRIL FITTENTH, 1891, in Alex. R. Shepherd's subdivis on in square numbered six hundred and twenty-three (623) according to the ground piat or plan of the city of Washington, in the postrict of Columbia.

Each of these lots fronts eighteen (18) feet on north H street and extends northwardly with the same width seventy (70) iset to a nine (3) foot cibey, and are improved by fine large brick houses, under rental and in good repair.

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OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS, DIS Offset of Columbia, Washington, D. C., April 4, 1894. Senied proposals will be received at this office until TWELVE OCIOCK M. WEDNESDAY APRIL TWENTY-SECOND, 1894, for a set for a public school on Meridian Hill, within the following limits: The Columbia road on the north, the time of Morris and Chapin streets on the south, 14th street on the east and 16th street extended on the west. The proposals will ieffine the exact locality of the lot, the price per square foot and its exact dimensions. The lot to be not less than one hundred (100) test wide and one hundred and twenty foot (120) deep. The tight is reasoned to reject any or all proposals. J. W. BOUCOLASS, J. W. SOSS, H. M. ROBLETT, Commissioners D.C. ap7-68. PEREMPTORY SALE OF VALUABLE IMPROVED PROPERTY No. 3294 N STREET, GEORGE TOWN.

At auction, on WEDNESDAY, APRIL FIFTERNTH, 1891, at FIVE O'CLOCK P.M., I shall sell on the premises, part of lot No. 30, square 49, fronting 31 leet on the south side of N street by a depth of 85 feet and improved by a two-stery frame dwelling and back building, being promises No. 3294 N street.

Terms: One-third cash; balance in one and two years, secured by a deed of trust on the property, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. A deposit of one hundred dollars (\$100) at the time of sale. All conveyancing and recording at purchaser's cost.

THOMAS DOWLING & SON. SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED UP
to FIVE O'CLOCK P.M., MONDAY, APRIL
TWENTIETH, 189, for the erection of a church edifice for the Zion Baptist Church, F bet. 3d and 4½, sta.
s.w. Pians and specifications can be seen at the office ap7-5t*

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PROPOSALS FOR STREET OH. LIGHTING.—
Office of the Commissioners, washington, D. G.,
April 4, 1891.—Sealed proposals will be received at
this office until TWELVE OCLOCK M. on TUESDAY.
MAY FIFTH, 1891, for furnishing langes and fileminating material, and lighting, extinguishing, maintaining and repairing street on lamps in the District of
Columbia for one year and three years from July 1,
1891. Bank forms of proposals and specifications
can be obtained at this office upon application thereing, together with all necessary information, and only
bids upon these forms will be considered. The right
is reserved to reject any and all bids. J. W. Doffe-OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS, DISTRICT

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS, DISTRICT
of Columbia, Washington, D. C., April 3, 1891. TWELVE M. WEDNESDAY, APRIL TWENTY-SEC-OND, for a site for a public school within the following limits: hetween 3d and 10th and E and H streets northeast. The proposals will state the number of lot, square and price per square fot. The lot to be not less than ninety-five (ids) rect tront and not less than one hunared and ten (110) feet deep. The right is reserved to relect any or all proposals. J. W. BOUGLASS, J. W. BOSS, H. M. ROBERT, Commissioners of the District of Cotumbia.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS, DISTRICT Of Columbia, Washington, D. C., April 2, 1884, Scaled proposals will be received at this office until MONDAY, APRIL TWENTIETH, 1891, for a site for a public school building in East Brookland, the site to be within the locality bounded by Duncan, Lansing, Ar-

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MONDAY, APRIL TWENTIETH, 1891, for a site for a public school building in East Brookland, the site to be within the locality bounded by Duncan, Lansing, Arcyle and Frankfort streets. The site is to be not less than one bundred (100) feet front by the depth of lots shown on the plat of the village. The proposals will designate the number of the lots and block and the price per square foot, or one sum for the whole lot as stated. The right to reject any and all blok and parts of bids is hereby reserved. J. W. DOUGLANS, J. W. ROSS, H. M. ROBERT, Commissioners of the District of Columbia.

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